



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: David B. Kay

Examiner: Julian W. Woo

Serial No: 10/089,105

Group Art Unit: 3731

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Date: January 27, 2004

For: **OPEN HELICAL ORGANIC TISSUE ANCHOR AND METHOD OF
FACILITATING HEALING**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER PROVISION OF 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time such that the period for response will expire on January 27, 2004. Applicant requests the time extension for the express purpose of filing a **RESPONSE TO SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW** dated December 12, 2003, and the same is enclosed herewith.

A check in the amount of **\$210.00** is enclosed for the statutory fee for a small entity to respond within two months of the statutory deadline. Please charge or credit Deposit Account No. **08-3150** for any fee insufficiency or excess.

Favorable action hereon is believed to be in order and the same is earnestly and respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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